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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Desai et al.

Title: NOVEL FORMULATIONS OF  
PHARMACOLOGICAL AGENTS,  
METHODS FOR THE PREPARATION  
THEREOF AND METHODS FOR THE  
USE THEREOF

Appl. No.: 09/446,783

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

The extension fee for response within the first month is \$110.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

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